MR. V. GANGADHARAN NAIR (*Quilon* cum *Kottarackara*): In view of the fact that a large number of people flock to the library, is it not fair on the part of the authorities to raise the grant to its maximum?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: It is under consideration.

Rural Libraries.

129. * MR. K. G. KESAVAN NAIR (*Changanacherry* cum *Peermade*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of rural libraries in the Changanacherry taluk and the places in which they are situated?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: 6 Rural libraries in the following schools.

1. Chirakkadavu Primary School.
2. Thampalakad do.
3. Thricodithanam do.
4. Karumpanedam do.
5. Thrikotha do.
6. Vezhapra do.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam*): May I know the total number of rural libraries in the State?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: 110.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: May I know the total amount of grant given to those institutions?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: അതുനോക്കിപറയാം.

Raising the English Middle School Nedumangad into a High School.

130 *MR. P. S. NATARAJA PILLAI (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have received any representation from the public to raise the Nedumangad English Middle School into a High School; and

(*b*) whether they know the number of students from Nedumangad who attend the High Schools in Trivandrum daily and their difficulties?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) 89. Yes.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU *Karunagappally* cum *Karthikapally*: May I know whether that school will be raised to a High School?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: It has already been done.

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